

Fire and Rescue Department

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Lincolnia House Fire

Fairfax County Fire and Rescue Department units responded to a house fire in the Lincolnia area of Fairfax County at approximately 1 p.m., Wednesday, December 1, 2004. The one-story home is located at 4101 Tahoe Court.

First arriving fire and rescue units reported smoke visible from the rear of the structure, and the basement fire. An additional alarm was requested, bringing over 50 emergency personnel to the scene. Firefighters began an aggressive attack and extinguished the fire in approximately 40 minutes. One firefighter suffered minor injuries, and was transported to Inova Fairfax hospital. He was treated and released. One adult female was displaced. The American Red Cross is assisting the displaced resident.

Damage is estimated at \$200,000.

Fire investigators determined the cause of the fire to be accidental; an electrical anomaly caused the fire.

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